Amendment to H.R. 1501

Offered by Mr. Souder of Indiana

At the end of the bill, add the following (and make such technical and conforming changes as may be appropriate):

1 SEC. 3. RELIGIOUS NONDISCRIMINATION.

- 2 The Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act
- 3 of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5601 et seq.) is amended by inserting
- 4 before title III the following:
- 5 "RELIGIOUS NONDISCRIMINATION
- 6 "Sec. 299J. (a) A governmental entity that receives
- 7 a grant under this title and that is authorized by this title
- 8 to carry out the purpose for which such grant is made
- 9 through contracts with, or grants to, nongovernmental en-
- 10 tities may use such grant to carry out such purpose
- 11 through contracts with or grants to religious organiza-
- 12 tions.
- 13 "(b) For purposes of subsection (a), subsections (b)
- 14 through (k) of section 104 of the Personal Responsibility
- 15 and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (42
- 16 U.S.C. 604a) shall apply with respect to the use of a grant
- 17 received by such entity under this title in the same manner

- 1 as such subsections apply to States with respect to a pro-
- 2 gram described in section 104(a)(2)(A) of such Act.".